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9 **BEFORE THE**
BOARD OF REGISTERED NURSING
10 **DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS**
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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12 In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

Case No. 2010-110

13 **KAREN VALOIS OLIVEIRA AKA**
KAREN VALOIS GYORE
14 **5329 Cherry Ridge Drive**
Camarillo, CA 93012
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A C C U S A T I O N

16 **Registered Nurse License No. 493455**

17 Respondent.
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19 **PARTIES**

20 1. Louise R. Bailey, M.Ed., RN ("Complainant") brings this Accusation solely in her
21 official capacity as the Interim Executive Officer of the Board of Registered Nursing, Department
22 of Consumer Affairs.

23 **Registered Nurse License**

24 2. On or about August 31, 1993, the Board of Registered Nursing issued Registered
25 Nurse License Number 493455 to Karen Valois Oliveira AKA Karen Valois Gyore (Respondent).
26 The Registered Nurse License expired on October 31, 2006, and has not been renewed.

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1 **FIRST CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

2 **(Out-of-State Discipline)**

3 9. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under Code section 2761, subdivision
4 (a)(4), on the grounds of unprofessional conduct, in that Respondent has been disciplined by the
5 Board of Nurse Examiners for the State of Texas (Texas Board), as follows:

6 10. On February 2, 2007, the Texas Board entered into an Agreed Order with
7 Respondent, **Exhibit "A"**, after the Texas Board produced evidence that Respondent may have
8 violated Section 301.452(b)(10), Texas Occupations Code, and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE
9 §217.12(b), (6)(G), & (8), by doing the following:

10 a. On July 31, 2006, while employed with Presbyterian Hospital of Allen, in Allen,
11 Texas, Respondent admitted that she had misappropriated Oxycontin and Vicodin for her own
12 personal use from the facility and the patients thereof. Respondent's conduct defrauded the
13 facility and the patients of the cost of the medications.

14 b. On August 22, 2006, while employed with Presbyterian Hospital of Allen, in Allen,
15 Texas, Respondent may have lacked the fitness to safely practice nursing in that she admitted
16 experiencing problems with her memory and also expressed bizarre ideation. Respondent's
17 conduct may have prevented her from delivering safe nursing care.

18 11. It was therefore ordered and agreed between the Texas Board and Respondent that
19 Respondent, in lieu of the sanction of revocation under Section 301.453 of the Texas Occupations
20 Code, would successfully complete the Texas Peer Assistance Program for Nurses (TPAPN), and
21 that noncompliance would result in further disciplinary action, including revocation of
22 Respondent's license and multistate licensure privileges, if any, to practice nursing in the State of
23 Texas.

24 12. On May 13, 2008, the Texas Board entered a Default Order, **Exhibit "B"**, against
25 Respondent, because Respondent failed to appear in accordance with 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE,
26 Ch. 213, after she was given proper and timely notice regarding the violations which were alleged
27 to warrant disciplinary action. Therefore, the Texas Board revoked Respondent's Permanent
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1 Certificate No. 721396, pursuant to which she was licensed to practice professional nursing in the
2 State of Texas.

3 **PRAYER**


4 WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged,
5 and that following the hearing, the Board of Registered Nursing issue a decision:

6 1. Revoking or suspending Registered Nurse License Number 493455, issued to Karen
7 Valois Oliveira AKA Karen Valois Gyore;

8 2. Ordering Karen Valois Oliveira AKA Karen Valois Gyore to pay the Board of
9 Registered Nursing the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of this case,
10 pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3; and,

11 3. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

12 DATED: 8/28/09


13 Louise R. Bailey, M.Ed., RN
14 Interim Executive Officer
15 Board of Registered Nursing
16 State of California
17 Complainant

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